

University Regents Meeting.

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Tuesday, Regents Black, Kellogg, Bartell, Hallidie, Hellman, Houghton, Martin, Marye and Rodgers were present.

The question came up whether to have occasional or regular lectures, by the astronomers of Lick Observatory at Berkeley. Professor Holden did not favor the latter course. Regents Rodgers and Hellman thought the needs of the University should be considered rather than the convenience of the astronomers at Mount Hamilton. It was finally placed in the hands of a committee to formulate a plan to have regular lectures.

An apparatus for distilling the attar of roses was presented to the University by Hadji Ephram Benguiat. It was formally acknowledged.

John C. Merriam was appointed instructor of paleontology upon the recommendation of Professor Le Conte. Salary \$100 a month.

E. C. Landstrom was appointed fireman in the mechanical department, vice Henry Deckhard, resigned. Salary \$75 per month.

Gustave E. Fancheux was appointed instructor in French at \$100 per month, vice S. D. Huntington, resigned.

At the request of Professor Howison, G. M. Stratton's leave of absence, on half pay, was extended to August 15, 1896.

It was decided to keep three copies of the series of photographs prepared for the exhibition at the Midwinter Fair.

The Committee on grounds were given \$50 for planting Boston ivy about the building and \$500 for other improvements. It was reported that the cost of lighting the library by electricity would be for a plant \$3760 and an annual expense of \$757 50. To get electricity from the Berkeley Light Co. would cost \$3760 for equipment and a yearly expense of \$1150.

J. J. Dunn's bill for grading was returned to the Finance Committee stating there were no funds available for the payment of it.

Mr. Flynn was empowered to employ a printer at \$75 per month.

During the early morning mass at St. Paul's Catholic Church yesterday in Omaha a party of Poles, formerly members of the congregation but ousted by Bishop Scannel, entered the church and endeavored to take possession. Father Karminski, who was saying mass, resisted and one of the party opened fire. Father Karminski then drew a revolver and fired into the attacking party and drove them off.

Frank Wadsworth, supposed to be the youngest soldier in the Federal army during the Civil war was buried yesterday in Cypress Lawn Cemetery in San Francisco County.

The rebels in the Isthmus of Panama appear to be getting advantage of the present government. Should they succeed the other party will become rebels and so it is turn about.

Our Modern Colleges.

There is a theory that a boy who is old enough to go to college is old enough to regulate his behavior after he gets there. In several of the larger American Universities this theory has gained such strength that the college authorities no longer assume to stand in the parental relation to their young men. "You may send your son here," they say, "and we will give him excellent opportunities of educating himself. If he is not fit to improve such opportunities you would better not send him here. We will keep the run of his intellectual progress, and in due time give him such a certificate as his acquirements merit. We will keep the run of his movements to such an extent that he will hardly be able to go around the world in term time without our knowing it. We will offer him the best advice and the most competent religious teaching we can procure. In short, we will give him every opportunity that we can to become wise and good. But as for knowing at what hour he comes in at night, and whether he smokes too many cigarettes, and whether his beverages are more complicated or copious than they should be, and whether the company he keeps is advantageous to him, we really cannot undertake to keep track of these matters, except so far as their results show in themes and examination papers.—Life.

The bill allowing the San Joaquin Valley Railroad to obtain terminal facilities in San Francisco was passed yesterday, notwithstanding the determined fight made against it by the Southern Pacific through legislative conspirators. It is now in the Senate and will have some action taken upon it today.

It is likely that the coming season will be an early one particularly for fruits. Ten days ago ripe cherries were sent to Sacramento from Vacaville, a sample box only. By the latter part of this week enough of this fruit will have ripened so as to send it to market.

When Senator Stewart of Nevada makes a speech the Senate chamber is cleared of all its members, so that there may be a plenty of room for his voice and he can talk as long as he chooses and he chooses to talk a long time.

Mud oozes out of the Legislature just as quick as the least pressure is applied, showing that a large quantity of soft material is beneath the crust. Enough has been squeezed out already to bespatter the whole State.

A long conference has been held by the Oakland Terminal Committee with the directors of the San Joaquin Valley Railroad Company. The result was "it's a long time—"

The ninth annual encampment of the California Division Sons of Veterans will convene at Sacramento April 22, 1895.

The teachers pension bill has been killed by a vote of 32 to 31.

A BOSTON FANCY.

Dissecting and Segregating the Various Styles of Composition.

A lady slipped on a banana skin on School street yesterday afternoon and broke a leg.

THE STACCATO STYLE.

It is a job for the surgeon. A banana skin did it. There was a slide, a scream and a dull thud.

The atmosphere was full of lingerie frou frou, hairpins and bric-a-brac.

It was laughable. But only to a few.

A dozen men gallantly rushed to the rescue.

It was a woman who had fallen. Horror!

A nether limb was broken. She was in agony.

And all because of somebody's carelessness.

Saul has slain his thousands. The banana skin has slain its ten thousands.

THE FLORID STYLE.

Tripping lightly down School street yesterday afternoon, her face all aglow with health and her every muscle, nerve, vein and artery in harmony with the invigorating autumnal atmosphere, a representative of the softer sex was seen suddenly to deflect from the perpendicular, and in another instant this one of God's last and best gifts to man came with crushing force to the hard, unyielding pavement. The immediate cause of the unfortunate young lady's downfall was the greasy envelope of that well known tropical fruit, the banana, which some thoughtless, if not malicious, individual had cast upon the public sidewalk. The victim of this carelessness, or worse, had sustained a fracture of a limb, and it will be many weary weeks ere she will be able to walk erect and stately as heretofore.

THE FACETIOUS STYLE.

She will be careful how she treads on banana skins hereafter. She didn't know it was loaded, but it fired her. It is only a broken leg; not much comfort to her, but a good thing for the surgeon. There's money in it. People who throw away banana skins should be careful to so throw them that they will land with the slippery side down, unless they are in league with the bone setting profession. In that case, of course, it is different.

The U. S. S. Atlanta has landed a force of sailors and marines in Colon to protect American interests on account of the rebellion in the State of Columbia.

Boric acid is sold in New York under the name of white snuff. It is an astringent and a germicide and is helpful to the mucous membrane of the nose.

The Non-Partisans will have the control in the Council just elected in Oakland, seven out of eleven candidates having been elected on that ticket.

Love Beyond the Grave.

Once upon a time Apappus, my son, in the olden days, when women were in very littlewise different from the women of these days, or for that matter, from the women of the days of ten thousand years hence, there lived a woman who was fair to the eyes and pleasant to the spirits. There are such women yet, Apappus, for beauty of person and of soul in union is not impossible. And she was sought in marriage by two men. One of these she loved as women love; the other loved her as faithful men worship. You know, Apappus, how these things shape themselves. It came about as might have been expected, that when she should choose between them she chose that one she loved. Blindly, you say? Ah, well, Apappus, perhaps so, but heart was satisfied and she recked not. He was handsome and her hero, and that was enough for her. It was enough for him, too, my son. Have you not observed that it is not always the handsome man who makes the best husband? Matrimony, my son, is not one of the ornamental branches of human life.

And the years went by until five were gone and the woman's hero had proved to be a sorry hero indeed. He had dissipated his wealth and hers; he had beaten her; he had in his drunken frenzy driven her into the streets; he had starved and frozen her and he had been recreant to every vow. And she, Apappus? You know well what she did. She forgave him always. She excused his faults to her friends, she wept over him, she lost not her girl pride in him, for he was no less wise than wicked, Apappus, and he was repentant, at times, and he kissed her and told her he loved her and would never do so again. Then he died, and widowed and wan and weary she wept over his body and gave all her little remaining store that he might have decent embalment and burial.

And the other, Apappus? Where was he! Working and saving and hoping. Yearning to aid her, but helpless. Seeing her the slave of the husband she had chosen. Loving her as he had always loved her; kissing the hand at every heart throb which had set him aside; living to himself alone and making his fortune alone, and making his fortune greater that he might give it to her children, who were never to be his children. This is true love, Apappus; this is love's heroism. When she was widowed and wept sorrowfully, was he glad? Who shall say. Did he think more of her than himself, say you, Apappus? He came to her as a brother in grief; he gave her his pity then, and his help as her needs were. Kindly and carefully he watched over her, ministering to her as his great love would have him do. He talked with her and, as time softened her sorrow, he asked her to be his wife, as he had asked her in the other days. She listened to him, and Apappus, when a woman listens there

is hope. So they were married, and that man's cup of happiness was full to the brim, and he gave his whole life-thought to making her happy. And she was happy, for love was hers and riches, and there is no greater power for good than these in union, my son. The years flew by on golden sunlit wings, and she was the envy of all women, and peace and plenty laid their hands upon her. But death must come, Apappus, my son, and to this man it came as it had come to the other, only peacefully, and his soul went out into the shadow of the unknown, and again the widow wept. But her tears were not for long, Apappus. Soon she followed him, and was content, for the earth is lonely to the aged and they look toward a different land. The good God is very kind to have it so, Apappus. It was so then, Apappus, when she had gone from this earthly living and had entered into the bosom of the Kingdom Eternal, she came to a great gate, beautiful and glorious in the sun, and a god with keys in his hand sat beside it. To him she went and he said to her: "Enter." She entered, and when she had passed within, the god came and spoke again: "On earth, Oh woman!" he said, "you had two husbands. In this kingdom you may have but one. Behold, standing by the inner gate, the gate on the Everlasting light, are the two men who were your husbands. The first and last. They must await your decision. Choose ye for eternity!" She looked as the god directed towards two men; a bright light shone from her face. She put out her hand and with a glad cry ran forward with his name upon her lips. Now Apappus, my son, which man will you say she choose for eternity?—Will J. Lampton, in Cosmopolitan Magazine.

On account of the Asiatic war there is a large demand for flour, which will keep the steamers supplied with cargoes for some time to come.

Yesterday the fifth semi-annual convention of the California Northern Medical Association convened in Stockton.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

It is well that there is no one without a fault, for he would not have a friend in the world; he would seem to belong to a different species—Hazlitt.

As frost, raised to its utmost intensity, produces the sensation of fire, so any good quality, overwrought and pushed to success, turns into its own contrary.—William Matthews.

Our fellow creatures can only judge of what we are from what we do; but in the eye of our Maker what we do is of no value except as it flows from what we are.

True greatness, whether in spiritual or worldly matters, does not shrink from minute details of business, but regards their performance as acts of divine worship.—Abulfazi; Persian.

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EXPENSIVE.

One matter which makes business for the Board of Trustees is the adoption of a resolution to improve a public street at one meeting and rescind it the next on account of some error. All of this is expensive and the taxpayer's pocket is gone into to get the money to pay this bill.

LEGISLATIVE CORRUPTION.

What everybody has suspected, in fact believed without actual proof, is beginning to assume shape in Sacramento. Is there a voter in the State but what does not believe that bribery is carried on at every meeting of the Legislature? Yesterday Senator Biggy of San Francisco told his fellow members as well as the public what he knew about it. It was said that Senator W. J. Dunn was the leading man in the interest of the Southern Pacific. The accusation of bribery by Senator Biggy caused a great sensation. If the conspirators do not get frightened there will be more trouble at the State Capital before the law makers give up their business for the season.

OAKLAND'S ELECTION.

Unexpected by many people who live out side of Oakland as well as those who reside within, J. L. Davie was elected Mayor of that city yesterday by a good majority. The A. P. A. vote appears to have cut considerable of a figure in the election.

The success of the different tickets are summed up as follows:

People's party—J. L. Davie, mayor; J. K. Piersol, city attorney; J. M. Bassett, City Council; D. R. Ford and E. A. Moody, members of the Board of Education.

Republican—A. R. Wilson, city engineer; D. T. Gilpin, treasurer; William Watkinson and Albert Kayser (possibly) Councilmen; Charles N. Pierce, D. A. MacMullan, George C. Edwards, Board of Education; and J. C. Gilson, library trustee.

Democrats—Con Brosnahan, City Council.

Non Partisans—R. W. Snow, auditor; Councilmen, W. A. Dow, J. R. Capell, J. F. Towle, Frank C. Mott, Walter G. Manuel, Dr. W. O. Buckland, C. K. Marshall; members of the Board of Education, Dr. Myra Knox, John W. Evans, E. B. Clement, Charles G. Reed, W. H. Friend G. J. W. Stark; library trustees, E. P. Flint, W. D. Armes, F. S. Page and Charles Cushing.

The total number of votes cast was about 8400. Board of Public Works will consist of Messrs Davie, Piersol and Wilson.

The bill to close barber shops on Sunday has passed both houses of the Legislature and has gone to the Governor for his signature.

ONLY GOOD MEN WANTED.

There is one proposition upon which we think all will agree or come as close to it as a body of men ever came to agreeing and that is Berkeley only wants in office men who will best serve the interests of the town at the same time being honest. Upon that foundation the question naturally arises how are we going to get this kind of office-holders?

A pretty good answer to the query is to commence at the foundation and build up as one would naturally do when doing business of his own. That foundation has already been commenced upon in the way of selecting men who will attend a convention and nominate the proper persons for the general voter to name at the polls.

About a majority of the voting population wait until a very short time before an election takes place before they will discuss political matters at all. It is then too late for them to have any voice in nominations as the matter has been in a quasi secret manner already attended to.

Politicians start in to do their work just as soon as it is known that an election is to take place and they work both late and early. This is the time that other people should commence their work. The business of getting delegates to attend the various coming conventions should be attended to immediately. Probably next week delegates will be selected from the different parties, who will place tickets in the field, to attend conventions for the purpose of nominations. It is quite probable that, ere now, men have been selected on the quiet to be voted for by the power which sends these delegates. When the names come before the public then it can judge of the quality of the committee making the choice. Finger marks are always easily discernable and if the goods be soiled it is the duty of the press to notify all parties interested so that sham goods will be forced into the auction store.

We do not know exactly how the members of the nominating convention will be chosen by the respective parties. One may allow the Executive Committee to appoint and another to perform the work by election. Whichever way it is done all of those people who want to see that good men are nominated for office should attend to the matter and if they have a vote be sure and exercise the privilege of making it count.

With a majority of conventional members of the right mind and true spirit, with an earnest interest in the Town of Berkeley in their actions as well as minds we should have good men to vote for.

The American Mail Steamship Alianca was fired at with solid shot by a Spanish man-of-war, when off the eastern end of Cuba. The American captain claims he was outside of the two league limit when the shots were fired. There are troublesome times in Cuba now and the least movement out of the way in a vessel nearing the Coast makes the Spaniards very suspicious and they do not want to take any chances.

It is now thought that the Legislature will adjourn by next Saturday night.

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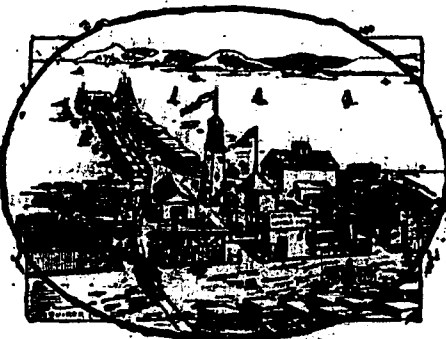
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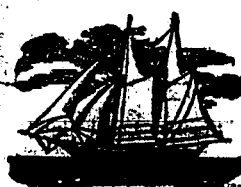
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At the meeting called last evening in the Town Hall, only about a dozen persons attended. There was no committee report made. An informal discussion was had. A communication has been sent to Engineer Story, of the Valley road, for information, by the sub committee. As yet no answer has been received.

The public must not lose knowledge of the fact that the New Charter makes the term of office of the members of the Board of Trustees and Education, at the first election held under it, to be for four years in the odd numbered wards, and two in the even numbered.

Disturbing the Peace.

Yesterday Constable Brotherton arrested some youngsters who have made the life of Miss S. A. Hawkins who lives on Grove street, between Cedar and Pine streets, almost unendurable. She is respectable, of modest appearance and a person who minds her own business. The parties arrested, Robert and Edna Hampton, were tried before Judge Lord this morning, and found guilty. They will get their sentence tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The charge against them was disturbing the peace. This should be a warning to other children in the neighborhood or anywhere else who think it is perfectly right to destroy other people's property and hurt their peace of mind.

A legal question having arisen in Town Marshal Striker's mind concerning the new law in relation to selling property for street openings, he has consulted the Town Attorney, and awaits his opinion. In the meantime the sale of Cedar street lots will be postponed from one day to another, as the law directs.

Last evening, the Salvation Army, assisted by delegations from outside towns, spent a pleasant time in Shattuck Hall. Appropriate services were held, and during the evening a reinforced band paraded the streets and played music interspersed with singing.

Today the overland freight train was made up mostly of cars loaded with cattle and sheep, which are brought from the State of Nevada.

The March number of the *Oakland Printer* has been received. It is full of nice little bits of information, particularly interesting to the craft.

M. J. Acton says that he is a candidate for the position of Trustee under the New Charter.

Late news from Hawaii gives the information that the Ex Queen has been sentenced to five years imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$5000. It is evident that this sentence has been taken under advisement and later on arrangements will probably be entered into between the Government and Lilioukalani by which the sentence will be remitted. Martial law has not been declared off nor will it be until the sentences are carried out or some change is made in them.

Yesterday the respective attorneys of the Southern Pacific and Valley Railroads got into a wordy wrangle in the Golden Eagle hotel at Sacramento. Some pretty strong language was used and the sentiment of the listeners appeared to be that the Southern Pacific Company got tied up in the arguments used.

A bill providing that all supplies for State Institutions should, when it is possible, be of California manufacture is before the present Legislature. Eight members are on record as voting against the measure. The names of these men should be known everywhere.

James M. Morrison of Sacramento has been appointed by the Governor fish and game commissioner in place of J. D. Redding, resigned.

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The San Joaquin Valley Railroad Company is now awaiting the action of the Legislature on the bill granting the Harbor Commissioners power to lease them lands in South San Francisco. Nothing further will be done until that matter is settled.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

JOHN SQUIRES

Hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of

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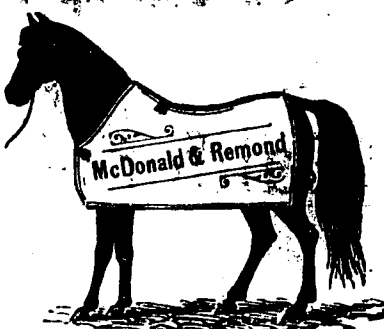
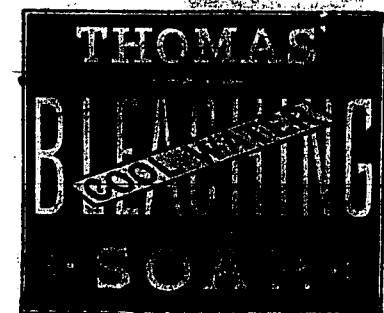
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